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The pension bill appropriates \$80,000,000.

There are now 10,860 persons at work on the Panama canal.

Monroe, the Prescott murderer's lease of life expired yesterday.

The Atlantic & Pacific R. R. Co. has paid \$24,514.20 taxes due Yavapai County.

The drop which is intended to break the neck of Monroe is in readiness in Prescott, to do the job.

The committee on pensions will report in favor of pensioning all survivors of the Mexican, Creek, Seminole and Black Hawk wars.

Geronimo, the noted Indian chief, is still in the mountains of Sonora, and evinces no disposition to respond to Gen. Crook's desire for his making a home at San Carlos.

There were thirty-three failures in the United States, in 1883, with aggregate liabilities of \$37,900,000. Conrad & Co., manufacturers of Anheuser beer being one of them.

Reliable information says the small-pox is prevailing among the Pima Indians on the reservation, near the town of Casa Grande, which has quarantined against it.

Frank James and Bob Ford are both very sick and are not expected to live, a consummation devoutly to be wished by law-abiding citizens, as the former will never receive his just deserts at the hands of the law.

The Florence Enterprise in its last issue published a diagram of the Quijoia and Casa Grande districts and surroundings. It is an excellent piece of workmanship and reflects credit on the enterprising publisher of that paper.

The Arizona Mining Index speaks of one J. W. Davis, of Florence as an applicant for the office of Chief Justice for Arizona and asks the rash youth if it would not be better for him to utilize his tender years in attending school and learn something, than to monkey around that way?

An analysis of matrimonial advertisements in Germany shows that three times as many women as men seek partners in that manner; that women are far less particular about age than men, but far more particular about family position, and that religious faith is of secondary importance with most advertisers of both sexes.

A volume is now in type which will show that the aggregate wealth of the United States, June 1st, 1880, is forty-three thousand, six hundred and forty-two millions of dollars, which, if equally divided, would at that date, have given each man, woman and child within our borders, \$870.12. The total is a stupendous sum, and would puzzle the mind of most persons to enumerate.

The nihilists' movements against the czar, we are told, are directed from Paris and Geneva. Both cities, indeed, have long been notorious hotbeds of revolution, anarchy and murder. Paris is at present full of work people and busybodies out of employment, and, with the French history of the last hundred years staring us in the face, violent outbreaks there against law and order should surprise on one.

Ministers of the gospel, it is well known, receive half-fare passes, and editors sometimes receive passes. In neither of these latter cases can the parties, by any possibility, do anything as a consideration which can be prejudicial to the public good; but it is different with legislators and judges. They are called upon almost constantly to grant charters, and interpret laws which cannot fail to bear some relation to the rights of the people.

At Ouray, Colorado, last week, Mike Cuddigan and wife severely beat and bruised an adopted daughter of theirs, and then drove her out in the winter storm, where she perished. After her burial, the suspicions of the neighbors were aroused and the body exhumed, when the above facts were brought to light. The incensed citizens took Cuddigan and his wife a few miles from town and strung them up. This is the first case of a woman being lynched in Colorado.

Mr. Oury has asked for the establishment of a branch mint in Arizona, and has asked for \$20,000 to complete the Territorial prison at Yuma.—Ex.

We can see no practical benefit to be derived from an appropriation of \$20,000, or for any other sum for the completion of the Arizona penitentiary. The institution is as ravenous as a leech, and is constantly crying give, give, when there is no necessity for it, for the reason that prisoners can be maintained in eastern penitentiaries without cost to the territory.

A Silver City paper, the Southwest Sentinel, credits M. W. Bremen's net gain from mining operations at \$180,000. His mine, the 76, has never failed to liberally respond.

A Washington special to the Albuquerque Journal has this to say: Lots of fun was created here by the pranks of the Mesclero and Jacarillo Indians. The chief Augustine hugged the president and wanted to hug every treasury girl he saw. Somehow he formed the idea that the latter were Folger's squaws, and immediately tried to make a dicker of ponies for one or two of the prettiest. Folger thought he would first have to consult the civil service commission. Perhaps a competitive examination will be required.

There is grief among the Chinese laundrymen of New York over an order of their consul that no Chinaman shall open a laundry within three blocks of any other Chinese wash house. The order is inexplicable except on the ground that the consul wants to lessen competition by seat-tering the laundries. The Chinamen growl but will obey. As one of them says: "He allee samee empello. What him say Chinaman all got do, allee samee Melican man do allee Boss Kelly tellee, Boss Kelly say do, Melican man him say 'you bet', evly timee".

The following Washington dispatch is clipped from the San Francisco Chronicle of the 20th: H. M. Van Arman, formerly of San Francisco, but now Secretary of Arizona Territory, is here on official business. He will leave for the West on Monday. Donald Robb, editor of the Silver Belt of Globe, A. T., is also here, but will remain during the winter looking after the affairs of the Territory. He has special charge of two important bills. One, introduced by Senator Miller, is to segregate the white men and Indians on the reservation and open up the Deer creek coal fields, the only coal beds in the Territory. The other bill provides for an additional Judge for the Territory. Mr. Robb also represents the cattlemen of Arizona, who are interested in the passage of a bill proposed by the United States Cattle-Breeders Association, for the extirpation of pleuropneumonia. All the members from the Pacific coast are interested in the passage of the bill and cattlemen all over the country are urging on the House Committee of Agriculture to prompt action.

Forfeiting Land Grants.
The House committee on public lands has got down to business on the subject of forfeited land grants. Not less than nine of these lapsed grants have already been passed upon by the committee and ordered included in a report recommending their forfeiture. The committee is hearing from one to two cases per day and giving the most of them short shrift. The general public demand for the restoration of these public lands to the control and custody of the government, together with the bad odor in which the whole land grant business has been placed by the publication of the Huntington letters, has given the forfeiture business a genuine boom.

The most important of these recommended forfeitures is that of the Texas Pacific Railway grant, which contains fourteen million acres, now valued at forty million dollars. The Texas Pacific Road was not built beyond the bounds of Texas, but was consolidated with the Southern Pacific, to which the former corporation desires to transfer the grant. The committee recommends its forfeiture and there is little doubt but that it will be done.

Cobb, chairman of the House Committee on Public Lands, expressed himself as amazed at the effrontery of Huntington in coming before the committee in connection with the Texas Pacific grant when he had done so much to embarrass Scott in obtaining it.

A QUESTION.

The number of wealthy members of the House of Representatives in Washington is large, and constantly increasing. There are twenty members of the Senate who are reputed to be worth one million dollars, or more, each. The days when the grandest eloquence could be heard in Congress have passed away. These men are not there for the purpose of sharing in the deliberations affecting the most important interests of the whole people; on the contrary, they are either watching assiduously their own private affairs, political or otherwise, or else taking part in legislation which may affect the interests of a great railroad or some wealthy corporation. No doubt there are members of Congress inspired by higher motives, but we are now referring to those of large wealth, who seem to have acquired their positions on account of their money.

During the Credit Mobilier investigation Congressmen were much alarmed, and all schemes were apparently laid away, but at that very time the knowing ones were secretly working through the House, the bill granting a large subsidy to the Pacific Mail S. S. Co., and testimony afterwards showed that \$600,000 was paid to the

so called "lobby," and inquiry has since developed the fact that \$500,000 of the above sum went to Congressmen. The Central Pacific R. R. Co. has always an agent in Washington, not a member of Congress, to whom it pays \$25,000 per annum, and if any matters affecting the railroad are discovered to be impending, the agent advises C. P. Huntington, who is distant only a day's journey. And when he appears in Washington he has access to the cloak rooms where he can chat privately with members. From those same cloak room reporters are excluded, but the leading officer of a great railroad corporation is cordially welcomed. We may add that all the great companies are either directly or indirectly represented in Washington. Congressmen are but human; they are vulnerable, particularly in their pockets. The people are, without doubt, anxious that the men whom they send to Congress, should be above reproach, and not susceptible to bribery, but the sums involved are so vast, and the arguments presented so specious that they often fall victims.

We have not written this article to show how bad Congressmen are, but with the hope that by laying these facts before our readers, they might be led to ponder upon the subject, and, perhaps, develop some plan by which their interests may be more fully protected at national, state and territorial capitals. The richer we grow as a people, the larger will be the interests which are presented to our legislative bodies for action, and consequently the temptations offered to members will be more and more enticing.

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(1.) House and lot on Broad Street now occupied as a store by D. Henderson, said lot is No. 3, in block No. 87, as designated on the official map of Globe township, on file in the Recorder's office of the County of Gila.
(2.) House and lot on Mesquite Street formerly occupied by S. J. Burbridge, said lot being a central portion of lot No. 4, of block No. 76, as designated on said official map and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake marked M on the southerly line of Mesquite Street, about 64 feet from the southeast corner of said Mesquite Street and the public alley running northerly and southerly through said block, and running thence easterly along said southerly line of Mesquite Street 25 feet; thence southerly parallel to said alley about 102 feet to the southerly boundary line of said lot No. 4; thence westerly on said last mentioned boundary line 25 feet; thence northerly parallel to said alley about 102 feet to the place of beginning.

(3.) House and lot on westerly side of Broad Street directly opposite the public school house, and designated on said map as lot No. 8, in block No. 82.

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